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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Ib Mendel-Hartvig et al : Paper No.:  
Serial No.: 09/582,741 : Group Art Unit: 1641  
Filing Date: October 6, 2000 : Examiner: G. Counts

For: **Method Using a New Calibrator and a Device and Test Kit Including the Calibrator**

**AMENDMENT**

BOX Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

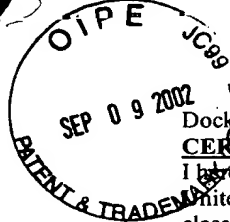
In response to the Official Action dated April 10, 2002, please amend the present application as follows:

**In the Specification:**

Please amend the paragraph at page 1, lines 32 - page 2, line 8, to read as follows:

--This type of analytical methods has been carried out in so-called flow matrices, whereby reactants including analyte are transported in a process flow through the matrix (= flow methodology) to a detection zone (DZ) where Reactant\* is captured in an amount related to the amount of analyte in the sample. Capture occurs via a reactant (Capturer) which is firmly anchored to the matrix in DZ. That is, the Capturer is bound via bonds which are stable under the conditions used to capture Reactant\* in the detection zone. The Capturer may be Reactant I or a reactant which has biospecific affinity to Reactant I or to another

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required.  
☒ Also attached: Two Month Extension of Time; Certified Translation of SE 9704935-7; Information Disclosure Statement; PTO-1449; cited references

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUS PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	27	31	0	x \$18 =	\$0
Independent Claims	3	3	0	x \$84 =	\$0
Two Month Extension of Time					\$400.00
Information Disclosure Statement					\$180.00
TOTAL FEE DUE					\$580.00

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$580.00 is enclosed.  
☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_ in the amount of \$0.  
☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 04-1133, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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